EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING KSEE 24 PORTRAITS OF SUCCESS HONOREES

HON. GEORGE RADANOVICH

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 6, 2002

Mr. RADANOVICH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize KSEE 24 and 2002 Companies that Care, Warner Company Jewelers and Gottschalks, for celebrating Asian-American month by honoring five distinguished local leaders. Currently in its eighth year, the Portraits of Success project combines specially produced public service announcements, a five-part news series, plus an awards luncheon to publicly recognize the contributions of Jay Louie, Kathleen Omachi, Bobby Porte, Lue Yang, and Khloeung You.

Jay Louie, businessman and President of Louie Foods, was nominated for all-round ongoing service to the Chinese community. Kathleen Omachi has been involved in community organizing and social services development for over thirty years but is being honored primarily for her work on the Chinatown Revitalization Board of Directors. Eighty-nine year old Bobby Porte served as President of the Filipino Community Club for 20 years and is a respected "elder statesman" of the South Valley Filipino community. As executive director of the Fresno Center For New Americans, Lue Vang has led the FCNA from a small, oneproject organization to a multi-faceted organization that provides general health education, advocacy, acculturation, and employment opportunities for new Americans. Khloeung You is a farmer, businessman, and Chairman of the Cambodian Buddhist Temple.

Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor these five community leaders for being selected for Asian-American history month's Portraits of Success. I invite my colleagues to join me in thanking KSEE 24 and Companies that Care for sponsoring this project and wishing the honorees many more years of continued success.

WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY

HON. GEORGE MILLER

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

 $Monday, May\ 6,\ 2002$

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California. Mr. Speaker, April 28th Workers Memorial Day, a day to remember the thousands of men and women who have been killed or injured on the job. A very important article which recently appeared in the San Francisco Examiner of April 25, 2002 reminds us of the enormous financial and personal costs of workplace deaths and injuries, while also detailing the failure of the Bush Administration to place a priority on improving workplace safety. It is important for every Member of this House to read this article and remember these tragic stories the next

time the Administration tries to weaken policies to protect America's working men and women.

[From the San Francisco Examiner, Apr. 25, 2002]

LAX WORKPLACE-INJURY POLICIES ARE KILLING US

(By Dick Meister)

Certainly we continue to mourn the Sept. 11 victims, most of whom were workers. But neither should we ever forget the millions of other workers who've been killed or seriously harmed while doing their jobs.

They'll be honored in candlelight vigils, rallies and other public events across the country on Sunday—Workers Memorial Day, observed yearly by organized labor to mourn the men and women who've suffered and died because of workplace hazards and to demand action to lessen the hazards.

The number of those victims is appalling. More than 6,000 are killed on the job every year. More than 5 million are injured, at least half seriously. Another 60,000 die from cancer, lung and heart ailments and other occupational diseases caused by exposure to toxic substances.

The financial toll also is high—as much as \$230 billion a year in healthcare costs and \$88 billion in other costs to employers, as well as workers, such as lost wages and production.

Trying to reduce workplace dangers, always a very difficult task, has become even more difficult since the Bush administration took office.

Although President Bush claims to put a "high priority" on helping working families, he has waged what the United Auto Workers cites as "a harsh, vindictive attack on health and safety standards."

The surest evidence of that has come in Bush's approach to attempts to combat the repetitive stress injuries that hurt and cripple at least 5,000 workers in a wide variety of occupations each and every day. For many, it can mean long-term or permanent affliction—chronic pain in the neck, back, shoulders, arms or wrists and other suffering resulting from the endlessly repetitive movements required in many jobs today, such as bending, reaching and typing, and the heavy lifting required in others.

It is by far the nation's No. 1 health and safety problem. Yet the president successfully urged Congress to repeal the regulations, developed by the Clinton administration with the guidance of safety experts, that had required employers to protect workers from repetitive stress injury. The rules were based on the science of ergonomics, which calls for fitting the job to the worker—redesigning it if necessary—to avoid as much harmful strain as possible.

Now, fully 13 months after the rules were repealed, Bush has come up with an intentionally toothless substitute for the mandatory regulations.

He's merely asking employers to voluntarily follow Labor Department guidelines, still to be drafted, that might protect workers. Employers with particularly high injury levels who fail to do anything about it might face fines, but even that is not certain.

Bush and Congressional Republicans obviously are paying off the corporate management interests who oppose the very idea of job safety laws because of the compliance

costs. They poured millions into the election campaigns of GOP candidates who were certain to do their bidding.

Less than a month after the ergonomics regulations were repealed, the president revoked 19 previously approved grants that were to go to unions, universities and labor-management groups to finance safety and health training programs for immigrant workers, small business employers and employers and workers in such high-risk industries as construction.

He's also cut millions of dollars from the Labor Department's overall budget and from that of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, already so underfunded it is unable to effectively enforce the job safety laws. Also getting much less funding have been the Mine Safety and Health Administration and the National Institute of Safety and Health, the only federal research agency dealing with safety.

The Bush administration is moving in a direction exactly the opposite to that which must be taken if we are to truly protect America's working families and truly honor the millions of workers who have needlessly suffered injury and death.

FARM SECURITY ACT OF 2001

SPEECH OF

HON. W.J. (BILLY) TAUZIN

OF LOUISIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 2, 2002

The House in Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union had under consideration the bill (H.R. 2646) to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2011:

Mr. TAUZIN. Mr. Chairman, section 7504 of H.R. 2646, the Farm Security Act amends the Plant Protection Act with respect to certain treatments or applications of methyl bromide. This section requires the Secretary of Agriculture to undertake specified activities upon the request of State, local or tribal authorities and to publish a registry. The section also requires a program to identify methyl bromide alternatives.

I was pleased to work with the conferees on this section to ensure that the section does not modify or alter the authority of the Environmental Protection Agency or provide any authority to the Secretary of Agriculture under the Clean Air Act or regulations promulgated under the Clean Air Act. In this regard, I believe the final legislative language is consistent with an exchange of correspondence between the Energy and Commerce Committee and the House Agriculture Committee concerning the original House provision which served as the basis for the final language contained in section 7504. I am inserting this exchange of correspondence below to further explain the intent and effect of section 7504.

• This "bullet" symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor. Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, COM-MITTEE ON ENERGY AND COM-MERCE.

Washington, DC, September 28, 2001. Hon. LARRY COMBEST,

Chairman, Committee on Agriculture, House of Representatives, Longworth House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR CHAIRMAN COMBEST: As reported from the Committee on Agriculture, H.R. 2646 contains legislative language regarding methyl bromide.

As you know, methyl bromide has been specifically regulated as an ozone depleting substance (ODS) under the Montreal Protocol, ratified by the United States in 1987, and under Title VI of the Clean Air Act (CAA), established by the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments (1990 CAAA). Under current provisions of both the Montreal Protocol and the CAA, methyl bromide is scheduled for complete phaseout in the United States by 2005. Title VI of the CAA, which serves as a supplement to the terms and conditions of the Montreal Protocol, has been within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Committee on Energy and Commerce since its enactment and signature into law on November 15, 1990.

Both the Montreal Protocol and the Clean Air Act currently provide for specific exemptions from the 2005 phaseout date for methyl bromide. Within the Montreal Protocol, quarantine and preshipment exemptions for methyl bromide are defined within the terms of the treaty as well as subsequent Decisions of the Parties which, among other requirements, limit preshipment applications of methyl bromide to 21 days and provide that Parties utilize alternatives to methyl bromide whenever possible. The Montreal Protocol also provides for a "critical use" and 'emergency use' exemptions for methyl bromide, although formal procedures and process to implement this exemption have not vet been established. Within the Clean Air Act, sections 604(d)(5) and 604(d)(6) provide that, to the extent consistent with the Montreal Protocol's quarantine and preshipment provisions, the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) shall exempt certain uses of methyl bromide for purposes of complying with federal, state and local sanitation requirements and critical uses. Section 604(d)(5) has been implemented, in part, through interim final regulations promulgated by EPA on July 19, 2001 (66 Fed. Reg. 37,752).

Section 762 of H.R. 2646 requires that the Secretary of Agriculture, upon request of a State, local or tribal authority, determine whether treatments or application of methyl bromide shall constitute an "official control" or "official requirement" under the Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7701 et. seq.). I am concerned that although section 762 does not amend the CAA nor affect any provision of the Montreal Protocol, the use of the terms "official controls" or "official requirements" may cause some confusion because these terms are the same terms used in Decisions of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol respecting quarantine and preshipment applications provided for in Article 2H of the treaty.

This letter is therefore intended to clarify the understanding of the Committee on Energy and Commerce and the Committee on Agriculture that section 762 does not affect any current provision of the Clean Air Act or the Montreal Protocol and therefore has no substantive legal effect upon the operation of sections 604(d)(5), 604(d)(6) and 604(h) and related provisions within the CAA affecting the phaseout of methyl bromide and the determination of what uses may qualify or not qualify for exemptions or exceptions to the current phaseout schedule for this substance. It is my understanding that section 762 does

not in any way transfer authority between the EPA and the Department of Agriculture regarding which governmental body has authority to make determinations regarding exemptions that are available under section 604(d)(5) for sanitation and food inspection and under section 604(d)(6) for critical uses. Further, it is my understanding that should section 762 or any other provision affecting the status, phaseout or exemptions available for the use of methyl bromide arise during any House and Senate conference on H.R. 2646 or the related Senate legislation, the Committee on Energy and Commerce will be assured of representation at the conference and effective control in the House of Representatives over any and all legislative provisions affecting methyl bromide that fall within its jurisdiction.

Thank you for your assistance and agreement in this matter.

Sincerely,

W.J. "BILLY" TAUZIN, Chairman.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING,

Washington, DC, September 28, 2001. Hon. W.J. ("BILLY") TAUZIN,

Chairman, Committee on Energy and Commerce, House of Representatives, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR CHAIRMAN TAUZIN: Thank you for your letter of September 28, 2001 regarding section 762 of H.R. 2646, provisions regarding certain determinations concerning official uses of methyl bromide under the Plant Protection Act.

As you are aware, section 762 does not amend, or in any way affect authorities contained in the Clean Air Act and the Montreal Protocol regarding the phase-out of methyl bromide and available exemptions to the otherwise applicable 2005 phase-out date. In addition. Section 762 does not transfer any authority over methyl bromide between that which currently exists within the Environmental Protection Agency and the Department of Agriculture. Finally, you have my assurance that I will support the appointment of an appropriate number of conferees from your Conunittee should this or any other matter falling with the jurisdiction of the Committee on Energy and Commerce arise in a House/Senate conference on H.R. 2646 or similar legislation.

I look forward to your continued support for H.R. 2646.

Sincerely,

LARRY COMBEST, Chairman.

LEHIGH VALLEY HEROES—BETSY SEISLOVE, TRACY LESTER AND CLARANNE MATHIESEN

HON. PATRICK J. TOOMEY

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 6, 2002

Mr. TOOMEY. Mr. Speaker, today I would like to share my Report from Pennsylvania for my colleagues and the American people.

All across Pennsylvania's 15th Congressional District there are some amazing people who do good things to make our communities a better place. These are individuals of all ages who truly make a difference and help others.

I like to call these individuals Lehigh Valley Heroes for their good deeds and efforts.

Today, I would like to recognize three nurses from Lehigh Valley Hospital, Elizabeth "Betsy" Seislove and Gayriel "Tracy" Lester and Claranne Mathiesen as Lehigh Valley Heroes. These women have truly made a difference in their community.

Betsy and Tracy both recently received the prestigious Nightingale Award of Pennsylvania, a symbol of outstanding nursing. Betsy, a resident of Macungie, is an advocate for patients and families and is a patient care specialist at LVH Salisbury. She volunteers to work with victims of stroke and leukemia and speaks to elementary school students about the importance of trauma prevention.

Tracy, a resident of Lehighton, is a licensed practical nurse pursuing a degree in nursing and is a 20-year LVH veteran with experience in oncology, cardiology and trauma.

Claranne was a finalist in the statewide competition for the Nightingale Award. A Stroudsburg resident, she is an advanced practice nurse specializing in neuroscience nursing. She is also president-elect of the Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Neuroscience Nurses Association.

These women make a difference everyday, working to save and improve lives at LVH, and therefore they are Lehigh Valley Heroes in my book.

Mr. Speaker, this concludes my Report from Pennsylvania.

IN HONOR OF JENNIE NIMTZ, GRADUATION FROM EASTERN IL-LINOIS UNIVERSITY

HON. DAVID D. PHELPS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, May 6, 2002

Mr. PHELPS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Jennie Nimtz of Benton, Illinois, in my district, on the occasion of her graduation from Eastern Illinois University on Saturday, May 4, 2002.

It has been Jennie Nimtz's lifelong dream to graduate from college. Jennie herself stated that, "I have dreamed about graduation day like most women dream about their wedding day." Like many students, she graduated from high school, applied and was accepted into Eastern Illinois University in Charleston, Illinois. While this description sounds like the actions of a typical young person, it is Jennie's physical condition and attitude that set her apart from her peers.

Jennie was born three months premature and was given six hours to live. Since that time she has been proving others wrong about her disabilities despite her afflictions. Jennie suffers from cerebral palsy, is confined to a wheelchair, and has been declared legally blind. She has been hospitalized sixty-eight times in the past ten years and has been close to death four or five times. Recently, she was told that she has a seizure disorder caused by brain damage that was brought on by a massive septic infection. In addition, she also suffers from massive digestive problems, pancreatic disease that sometimes requires feeding through a surgically implanted IV in her stomach, constant vertigo, and respiratory problems that require an oxygen tank.

Yet, in spite of these infirmities, Jennie became an active part of the Eastern Illinois University campus. She lobbied the administration

to make buildings more accessible to those in wheelchairs and served on campus committees geared toward helping students with handicaps. And, she became friends with the Health Service personnel, campus police officers, Charleston EMT's, and students who offered assistance to her over the years. At her graduation ceremony on Saturday, she will be escorted across the stage by Lane Davis, Charleston Firefighter and Paramedic, and University Police Officer Art Mitchell.

Mr. Speaker, Jennie Nimtz's story has been an inspiration to everyone on the campus of Eastern Illinois University and to the citizens of her hometown in Benton, Illinois. I offer my heartfelt congratulations to Jennie and her parents, Robert and Lynn Nimtz, on this tremendous achievement of her college graduation.

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{HONORING SAM AND CATHEE} \\ \text{VAUGHN} \end{array}$

HON. GEORGE RADANOVICH

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, May 6, 2002

Mr. RADANOVICH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Sam and Cathee Vaughn for receiving the 2002 Citizen of the Year Award from the Hughson Chamber of Commerce. These two outstanding individuals have contributed greatly to their community.

Sam Vaughn attended Hughson High School, and graduated from San Diego State University with a Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education. He began substitute teaching in 1959 while awaiting induction into the army. He was employed by Ceres Unified Schools where he not only taught 7th grade, but also was instrumental in school programs. Sam is an educational leader, as well as an involved member of the community. He served as president/chairperson for the Lions Club, Big

Brothers/Big Sisters, Counseling Center Advisory Board of Hughson Youth Center, and the Salvation Army Extension.

Cathee Vaughn is from San Diego. She received specialized training in community organization and Mental Health consultation. Mrs. Vaughn has been active within her community throughout her career. She was Coordinator of the Outreach Homeless Mentally Disabled Project, and she has a long history as a Patients' Rights Advocate. Cathee has made herself available to the community through her job, but also through participation in activities within the community. She served on the Hughson City Council, Family Service Agency of Stanislaus County, State of California Commission on the Status of Women, and many other boards.

Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Sam and Cathee Vaughn for receiving the 2002 Citizen of the Year Award. I invite my colleagues to join me in thanking them for their tremendous service to the community and their dedication to excellence.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the Congressional Record on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, May 7, 2002 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MAY 8

9 a.m.

Armed Services

SeaPower Subcommittee

Closed business meeting to mark up those provisions, which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee, of proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

SR-232A

9:30 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Science, Technology, and Space Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

SR-253

Appropriations

VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine infrastructure security, focusing on private/public information sharing.

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Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings on the nomination of Guy F. Caruso, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy.

SD-366

SR-485

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on S.343, to establish a demonstration project to authorize the integration and coordination of Federal funding dedicated to the community, business, and economic development of Native American communities.

Armed Services

Strategic Subcommittee

Closed business meeting to mark up those provisions, which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee, of proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

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Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the reformation of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, focusing on mission refocusing and reorganization.

SD-226

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe

To hold hearings to examine cooperation concerning the war on terrorism, focusing on the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe.

340 Cannon Building

Appropriations

Defense Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine Defense medical programs.

SD-192 $_2$

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Anthony Lowe, of Washington, to be Federal Insurance Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency.

SD-538

10:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the General Accounting Office, Congressional Budget Office, and Government Printing Office.

SD-11

SR-232A

11:30 a.m.

Armed Services

Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee

Closed business meeting to mark up those provisions, which fall within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee, of proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

1:30 p.m.

Environment and Public Works

Superfund, Toxics, Risk, and Waste Management Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 1850, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to bring underground storage tanks into compliance with subtitle I of that Act, to promote cleanup of leaking underground storage tanks, to provide sufficient resources for such compliance and cleanum.

SD-406

2:30 p.m.

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine certain provisions of the Hatch-Waxman Act, assuring greater access to affordable pharmaceuticals.

SD-4

Armed Services

Closed business meeting to mark up proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

SR-222

MAY 9

9:30 a.m. Finance

To hold hearings to examine revenue issues related to the Highway Trust Fund.

SD-215

Armed Services

Closed business meeting to continue to mark up proposed legislation authorizing appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense.

SR-222

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Oceans, Atmosphere, and Fisheries Subcommittee

To hold oversight hearings to examine management issues at the National Marine Fisheries Service.

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10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine consolidated student loans, focusing on variable rates.

SD-430

2 p.m.

Judiciary

To hold hearings on pending judicial nominations.

SD-226

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe

To hold hearings to examine developments in the conflict in Chechnya.

340, Cannon Building

Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings on S. 2118, to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act and the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act to implement the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants and the Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants to the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, and a related Administrative proposal.

SD-406

2:30 p.m

Energy and Natural Resources Public Lands and Forests Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 454, to provide permanent funding for the Bureau of Land Management Payment in Lieu of Taxes program and for other purposes; S. 1139, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain land to Lander County, Nevada, and the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to Eureka County, Nevada, for continued use as cemeteries; S. 1325, to ratify an agreement between the Aleut Corporation and the United States of America to exchange land rights received under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act for certain land interests on Adak Island; S. 1497/H.R. 2385, to convey certain property to the city of St. George, Utah, in order to provide for the protection and preservation of certain rare paleontological resources on that property; S. 1711/H.R. 1576, to designate the James Peak Wilderness and the James Peak Protection Area in the State of Colorado; and S. 1907, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to the city of Haines, Oregon.

SD-366

MAY 10

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the implementation of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996.

SR-485

MAY 13

10 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine transformation plans of the United States Postal Service.

SD-342

MAY 14

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold joint oversight hearings to examine telecommunications issues in Indian country.

Room to be announced

Governmental Affairs

Oversight of Government Management, Restructuring and the District of Columbia Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the impact of tobacco marketing on women and girls.

SD-342

MAY 16

9:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the impact of stress management in reversing heart disease.

SD-192

MAY 17

10:30 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine non-proliferation programs, focusing on U.S. cruise missile threat.

SD-342

MAY 20

2:30 p.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Branch of Acknowledgment, Department of the Interior.

Room to be announced

MAY 21

9:30 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine difficulties and solutions concerning nonprolifera-

tion disputes between Russia and

SD-342

MAY 22

9:30 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine voting representation in Congress for the citizens of the District of Columbia.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on S. 1340, to amend the Indian Land Consolidation Act to provide for probate reform with respect to trust or restricted lands.

SR-485

POSTPONEMENTS

MAY 8

10 a.m.

Appropriations

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Labor.

SD-124